

REMARKS

Claims 1-4 and 6-15 are pending in this application.

The Examiner has objected to the drawings as Figure 2 shows the retaining zipper 16 attached to an edge of the securing member 10 while the disclosure indicates the zipper is located adjacent the center of the securing member. Applicant respectfully disagrees with the interpretation of the Examiner. Figure 2 shows the cloth member 14 having the zipper 16 positioned on one of the elongated members of the H and the zipper is used to connect the cloth wrap 14 to the foam member 12. Such is described throughout the specification and specifically on Page 15, line 18-Page 16, line 5. Applicant cannot find where the zipper 16 is disclosed as located adjacent to the center of the securing means. In Figures 1 and 3 cited by the Examiner, the zipper is illustrated in dashed lines indicating it has been folded behind the securing member 10 and is not in plain view in the Figure. When the securing member is positioned flat, the zipper is positioned as illustrated in Figure 2. The zipper is folded over to connect to the opposing zipper on the foam member 12 which is positioned beneath the securing member 10. When the top portion of the securing member 10 including the zipper 16 is folded over, the zipper portion of the securing member engages the zipper portion of the foam member, fastener patch 18 is able to engage the top side of the foam member 12 and the legs of the H of the securing member including the hook and loop fasteners 20 are aligned with the foam member for wrapping around a baby. In view of the above remarks, it is respectfully submitted that figures 1, 2 and 3 accurately depict the present invention and no amendments to the drawings are necessary.

All claims of this application have been indicated as allowed.

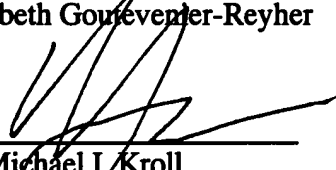
Should the Examiner consider necessary or desirable any formal changes anywhere in the specification, claims and/or drawings, then it is respectfully asked that such changes be

made by Examiner's amendment, if the Examiner feels this would facilitate passage of the case to issuance.

Alternatively, should the Examiner have any questions, comments, or feel that a personal discussion might be helpful in advancing this case to allowance and issuance, he is cordially invited to contact Mr. Michael Kroll, Esq. at 171 Stillwell Lane, Syosset, New York 11791, telephone number (516) 367-7777, so that the present application can receive an early notice of allowance. The address and telephone number for Michael I. Kroll stated above is as listed on the original Power of Attorney.


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